PATTON'S REPORT ADOPTED.

Dr. Parkhurst, of New York, opposed

Dr. Patton's report. He could assure

them, as a director of Union Seminary,

that if they should adopt Dr. Wooster's substitute and send the committee he recommends, the directors would meet

recommends, the directors would meet them to a man in the spirit of Dr. Wooster's resolutions.

Mr. Raymond, of Albany, would vote for the veto if sure that it would not prejudice the trial for heresy. After some further discussion, the vote was taken on Dr. Wooster's substitute for Mr. Pattor's report, which resulted in relection by an overwhelming me-

rejection by an overwhelming ma-jority.

jority.
Dr. Logan was permitted to withdraw his amendment, and then the great final vote was taken by calling the roll, each minister and elderanswered aye or no as his name was called. Copies of the roll were marked by eager listeners all over the house as the call went on. At its close the count stool: For Dr. Patterle very state of the residue.

JUDGE BRECKINRIDGE'S DEATH.

He Died of Heart Disease in the Midst of

DETROIT, May 29.-Judge S. J. Breck-

inridge, who died suddenly during yes-terday afternoon's session of the Pres-

byterian General Assembly, represent-

ed the Missouri Synod as one of the

elders. He was born in Baltimore,

Md., November 1, 1828, and was educated at the Union College, New York; Center College, Kentucky, and Princeton. He graduated at the law school at Lexington, Ky., and settled in St. Louis in 1850, where he had since resided. The cause of his sudden death was declared to be heart disease.

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The question before the Assembly was a motion offered by Dr. Logan to defer action for a year. Judge Breckinridge, who was one of the most eminent law-

yers in the South, was stating the legal points in the case. "Years ago," he said, "Union Seminary was independ ent, but in 1871 became Presbyterian,

and of course the Assembly from that time controlled the appointments. If we don't veto now, we never can. Dr. Logan's amendment for deferring action

Logan's amendment for deferring action is impracticable. We view the transfer from one church to another the same as an appointment. We can do nothing wisely except disapprove. I think it is wise not to assign reasons. A judge sometimes cannot give all the reasons for his decisions on the bench. But without assigning other reasons, it does seem to me that the mind of the church for some time has been anxious.

THE SUSPENDED MINISTERS

Of the Reformed Presbyterian Synod-An

Effort to Prefer Charges.

tion to prefer charges against Rev. J. C.

Milligan, Rev. J. F. Carson, editor of

the News Letter, Rev. J. S. T. Milligan

and Rev. N. M. Johnston, for utterances

in the papers, was the cause of an ani-

in the papers, was the cause of an am-mated session of the Reformed Presby-terian Synod this morning, but the effort failed.

The appeal of the various suspended ministers was then referred to the com-

ministers was their rearred to the com-mittee on discipline.

The appeals of the board of missions showed that not one-third of the amount required for foreign missions had been contributed and that the church seem-

ed rather to retard than extend foreign The report that the suspended minis-ters had retracted was denied by them

Evangelical Lutherans. LEBANON, PA., May 29 .- At to-day's

Session of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, Canton, Ohio, was selected as the place of the next meeting. The committee which had acted in connection with committees.

be sent to the ministers and

United Presbyterians.

PRINCETON, IND., May 29. - In the

United Presbyterian General Assembly

the Rev. J. G. White addressed the as-

sembly on the secret efforts of the Roman Church in this country. Sub-scriptions to the mission fund amount to \$385,000. This assembly resolved to return to membership in the Alliance.

Mr. Blaine's Health.

New York, May 29 .- There was

meni PA. May 29.-A resolu-

the Debate-His Last Words.

ton's report, 440; againss, 59.

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## THE BRIGGS

Occupies the Attention of the Presbyterian General Assembly.

BRECKINRIDGE'S DEATH

The Topic for the Prayers at the Opening in the Morning.

THE DISCUSSION BECOMES HEATED.

Some Big Men Take Part In It. Whether Briggs Should be Given a Trial or Not the Issue--Dr. KcKibben's Eloquent Plea for Fair Play. Judge Breckinridge's Death Due to Heart Disease-A Sketch of His Career -- The Committee's Report Adepted.

DETROIT, MICH., May 29.-The Friday perning session of the Presbyterian General Assembly begun with the usual prayer meeting, in which the death yesterday of Judge Breckinridge was often alluded to. After the reading of minstes, the great debate on Dr. Briggs was resumed, but was suspended to hear the delegate of the Reformed Church in America, Rev. Dr. Vermillie, who said that he was present to voice the ancient friendship between the Presbyterian Churches. The Moderator in response

"We have as high regard for the Synod of Dort and the Heidelberg catechism as for the Westminster Assembly and its ratechism. You are more like us than other churches, unless we except the Southern church."

WILL DO HIS OWN THINKING.

Dr. Hathaway, Jersey City, said he knew the assembly does not want long speeches and he will make none. He hoped that Dr. Logan's Amendment of resterday would be adopted. This is the very least the majority should concele to the minority. I believe this is fessible. I suppose we must veto now or never. The compact says: "The first Assembly after the election of the professor." We are not obliged te disapprove forever. We can do so for a vear. Do not judges grant limited injunctions pending inquiry? Although I have the highest regard for the distinguished committee, yet I must do my own thinking..

Dr. Bowden, of Jesse Presbytery, New York, wished to follow the same line with the closing words of Judge Breck-indige. speeches and he will make none. He

John. J. McCook, one of the prosecuting legal advisers of the committee of the New York Presbytery, spoke of the relations between the assembly and the seminaries, and argued that now was the time to take action on the Briggs

the time to take action on the Briggs case if any wes to be taken.

Doctor Logan said: "If we veto the appointment made by the board of the Union Seminary, do we not, in effect impeach the judgment of the assembly that assented to their election?" [Uries of "No!" "No!"]

A SUBSTITUTE OFFERED

Dr. Logan thought that if Dr. Briggs thould prove unfit the directors of the mainary would exercise its rights and raise him. Also to go slow now will save much bickering and misundering hereafter.

Dr. Worcester, of Chicago, offered a substitute to the amendment of Dr. Estatute to the amendment of Dr. Legan and to the entire report of the committee of Dr. Patton. After a pre-amble, reviewing the difficulty and perplexity of the assembly, and the directors of Union Theoological seminary, in view of the utterances of Dr. Briggs' inaugural delivered after his appointment to his chair, that a committee of eight ministers and seven elders be appointed to confer with the directors of the seminary: that the directors be the seminary; that the directors be especially requested to reconsider this action in transferring Dr. Briggs; that they be requested that Dr. Briggs should not be allowed to perform the duties belonging to said chair for the ensuing

Dr. Worcester said: "I stand not as Dr. Worcester said: "I stand not as a supporter of Dr. Briggs, but as an advocate of peace. I have hoped and payed that our action might lead to unity, not bitterness, and make us strong for our great fight with evil. I bilieve that there are many on both tides the Briggs' question who feel as I do, and long for some safe middle course. I feel the force of Dr. Patton's point that we must vote or approximation. course. I feel the force of Dr. Fatton's point that we must veto or approve without vualification. We have a right to do what I advise—to request the trustees of the Union Theological Seminates. mary to reconsider their action. course will not render the position of the New York Presbytery more difficult in the trial of Dr. Briggs. You give a great help to those who seek a union of peace and justice in the board of the Union Theological Seminary.

AFTERNOON BESSION.

The discussion of Dr. Wooster's substitute for Dr. Patton's report was ar-

next meeting. The committee which had acted in connection with committees of the General Council, United Synod and Joint Synod of Ohio, reported that the German edition of the committee on service was in the hands of the hymn publishing committee; that translations of the German and Latin editions have been the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the control of the German and Latin editions have been the German and Latin editions have been the control of the Control rested by adjournment, Dr. McKibben having the floor.

At the opening of the afternoon session Mr. McKibben continued, saying:

"I believe that we are taking part in the greatest crisis that the Presbyterian thurch has ever research and the openmade and will be further revised and submitted to the general synod. It was decided to authorize the issue of a pro-visional revised catechism, the same to be sont to the ministers and laws of freatest crisis that the Freedy, classic church has ever passed, and the question is whether this assembly will ever find a justifiable occasion for expressing its disapproval of a professor if not now be sent to the ministers and the district who may be interested and the district synods to consider and to report to the next general synod. An apportion-ment of \$130,500 a year was laid upon the district synods for the benevolent work of the synod.

If there ever was an issue which was lored upon the church, from which there can be no evasion, it is this issue. If we do not approve of Dr. Briggs, the Union Theological Samisa. chion Theological Seminary could re-elect him after this assembly adjourned and he would hold over. Suppose we teto, and in a year or so it is found that Dr. Briggs has matured his views. Briggs has matured his views, has filled his language, if not his con-its, why, my brethren, I think I all go many miles to joiu in a cele-

Brethren, this is a scheme to defeat disapproval on any ground. I ask you to bear in mind that, with the exception of a few expressions which have fallen, I believe inadvertenity, from the lips of those who these who are supposed to be Dr. Briggs enemies—I think they are his best friends—that every personal discussion of Dr. Briggs has been introduced by his friends. We have tried to keep still. We don't want to say

anything against Dr. Briggs. We want simply to conserve the power of the assembly in view of the facts that he has failed to make himself understood in a special inaugural in principles which we believe vital to evengelical Christianity. Now, Mr. Moderator, if BIG FIRE AT BELMONT. Over \$12,000 Worth of Property Goes Up

in Smoke—Incendiary Special Disputch to the Intelligencer. BELMONT, W. VA., May 29.-This morning about 1 o'clock George Berry, you pass upon the paper of Dr. Wooster you pass upon the very matters which are in litigation in the Presbytery o a driller, discovered fire issuing from you pass upon the very matters which are in litigation in the Presbytery of New York. You say that this man is of such a kind that we only keep our hands off him to see whether the Union Theological Seminary will run him down. That is not Presbyterianism. That is not fair play, and I plead, in the absence of Dr. Briggs, that you won't let his friends misrepresent him and destroy his opportunity to have a fair trial before the Presbytery of New York' the back part of the Caldwell House and giving the alarm awakened the people in the upper end of the village, who rushed to the seene with pails and did what they could, but water being scarce the destruction was greater than it would have been had there been a suffi-

would have been had there been a sufficient quantity. Still, with heroic work, they saved considerable property.

The following losses are reported: R. G. Caldwell, loss on hotel building and store \$10,000, with \$1,000 insurance; J. Minder, building and furniture \$1,200, insurance \$800; R. T. Parker, on building and furniture \$500, no insurance; S. D. Kidd, loss on furniture about \$200, no insurance. The cause of the fire is a mystery, but circumstances point strongly towards incendiarism. This is a sad blow to Belmont and one that she will not recover from, as the parties burned out will not rebuild.

Twenty Residences Burned. New ORLEANS, May 29 .- Fire this morning destroyed twenty small residences and a sawmill in the block bound by St. Cloud, Mont, Rampart and Maule streets. Loss estimated at \$40,000.

THE STATE FAIR BOARD For West Virginia Organizes and Locatos Its Headquarters.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer-CHARLESTON, May 29 .- The Democratic members of the State World's Fair Board were caucusing all morning, trying to agree upon a president and secretary without arriving at any conclusion. The board was in session this afternoon The board was in session this atternoon and about 4 o'clock completed its organization, by electing Hon. W. N. Chancellor, of Wood county, president, at a salary of \$1,200 a year; W. C. McKay, of Jackson county, secretary, at a salary of \$600 per year, and Hon. George M. Bowers, of Berkeley, treasurer.

The treasurer is to receive one per

The treasurer is to receive one per cent of the disbursements. The main office of the board to be at Parkersburg, and the next meeting will be held at Wheeling about June 10th, from which place the board will go to Chicago to acquire the necessary information to influence its further action.

OIL INJUNCTION GRANTED,

A Notable Suit Settled in Court at Parkers Special Disputch to the Intelligencer.

PARKERSBURG, May 29.-Judge Bore man granted an injunction to-day in the case of the Brawn Oil Company against the Ohio River Railroad Company, T. M. Brown, et. al., and the Macksburg M. Brown, et. al., and the Macksburg
Pipe Line Company, to prohibit the defendant from taking oil on what is
known as the Barrow pits by the side of
the Orio River Railroad, below French
Oreek, in the Belmont oil field. Stealey,
Tavenner and Ambler appeared for the
plaintiff, and Gov. Jackson, V. M. Archer and J. M. Jackson for the defendant.

The Early Bird.

WESTON, W. Va., May 29 .- Hon. John O. Pendleton, with his menagerie of vampires, arrived here to-day on the vampires, arrived new too do not be late train, on his way to Glenville, where he will open up his campaign on next Monday. John thinks it policy to get an early start, as his prospects for a renomination are not the most flattering.

Col. Johnson Retires, Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

does seem to me that the mind of the church for some time has been anxious, and that we should relieve it."

The Judge's last words were: "Now, gentlemen, I feel that I have discharged my duties, and wish to be excused from further speaking." Reaching for a glass of water, he threw up his hands and fell, the back of his head striking heavily on the floor. After the Judge had been carried to an ante room the debate was stopped, and when, a few minutes afterward, physicians in the audience who hurried to his aid pronounced him dead, the Assembly voted to do no further business for the day, and instead of a banquet in the rink last evening, a prayer meeting was held in Fourth street church.

THE SUSPENDED MINISTERS CHARLESTON, W. VA., May 29.—Hon. John C. Vance, of Harrison county, has been appointed a member of the Board of Regents of the West Virginia University, vice Daniel D. Johnson, resigned

In the Fair's Interest.

CHICAGO, May 29.—The committee on of the World's Fair cided to send the following named gentlemen to Europe in the interest of the exposition: Major Hanley, Chief of the Bureau of Publicity and Promotion; Commissioner J. M. Waller, of Con-necticut; Secretary Butterworth, of Ohio; the Hon. Carl Schurz, of New York, and ex-Senator Eustis, of Louisi-

Important Railroad Deal.

WACO, TEXAS. May 29 .- It is stated that the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway company has acquired control of the Texas Central by lease or pur chase. The ownership of the Texas Central by the Rock Island, and the completion of the gap between the Southern terminus of that route and Albany, will connect the Rock Island with the gulf coast and Mexico, through the San Antonio and Arkansas pass.

The Smallest Baby.

LIMA, O., May 29 .- The smallest babe in this part of the State was born at the residence of John Vonstein, at 628 West residence of John Vonstein, at 025 West Kibby street. The babe is quite a curiosity, and was five weeks old to-day. Its weight is not quite two pounds, and its body is perfectly formed, and can be easily placed in a common cigar box. The babe is a bright and healthy boy and no increase has been noticed since

A Horrible Discovery.

CHICAGO, May 29 .- The men working in the excavation on State street were horrified to find this morning the dead horized to find this mind the death bodies of two of their companions. They had been buried by the caving in of an embankment last night before the men quit work and unknown to any one the two unfortunate men were crushed to death.

Escaped to Hall,

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., May 29 .- Jeff Thomas, who assaulted Mrs. J. V. Neal, at Townley, Walker county, a week ago, was captured last night and is supposed to have been lynched after midnight. All the captors would say was Thomas had escaped to hell.

Republican Victory. REISONBURG, VA., May 29 .- A hardfourth county election yesterday reFOREIGN AFFAIRS.

The Bill to Prohibit Fishing for Seals in the Bering Sea

INTRODUCED BY WM. HENRY SMITH.

It Causes a Howl Among the British, who Denounce it as a Cowardly Surrender to the United States-Sir John McDonald's Condition .- Other News from Abroad.

LONDON, May 29.-Mr. William Henry Smith, the first lord of the treasury, today introduced in the House of Commons the bill prepared by the government prohibiting British subjects from catching seals in Baring Sea for a certain period. The duration of the time during which seals cannot be captured is not, however, given in the bill.

In the House of Commons the members listened with

In the House of Commons the members listened with strained attention to Mr. Smith, expecting to learn the terms of the sgreement with the Washington government and great was their disappointment when he stopped short after uttering the formal request for permistion to bring in a bill to enable the Queen by an order in council to make a special provision to prohibit the catching of seals in Behring Sea by Her Majesty's subjects during a period named in the-order.

The Standard, in commenting on the

named in the order.

The Standard, in commenting on the measure, says: "If the bill is an essential portion of the International arrangement for the general restraint of the capture of seals it will be welcome, but if it imposes disabilities on British subjects while it leaves the hands of American advantages free, a yest amount of can adventurers free, a vast amount of explanation will be necessary to make it palatable to Parliament or the coun-

A dispatch from Victoria, B. C., say A dispatch from victoria, B. C., says that great excitement prevails there ever the proposed action of the British Government to prohibit British subjects from catching seals in Bering Sea during a proposed close season, and that sealers openly propose to evade any law that may be passed on the subject

Ject.

The feeling in London and Liverpool among merchants interested in the seal fisheries, outside of the American Company, is very strong against the proposed measure, and the government is freely denounced for a cowardly surrender to the United States. Sir Edward Reed, a prominent Liberal, said that the government seemed to be clearing its decks for average white compilications in Europe. ment seemed to be clearing its decks for approaching complications in Europe, and evidently did not intend to have an American quarrel on hand when European troubles were threatening.

Although Lord Salisbury told the House of Lords to-night that the French government would accept the suspension of the Newfoundland bill, uneasing the suspension of the Suspension

ness prevails in the foreign office re-garding M. Ribot's exect view of the prestical abandonment of a measure which Lord Salisbury is pledged to

Mr. Gladstone's suggestions towards remedying the persecution of the Russian Jews strongly disappoints the community. His letter on the subject ignores the fact that the Russo-Jewish committee has already taken the exact course he suggested.

PARNELL'S BOAST.

The McCarthyites Determined he Shall not Control the Paris Fund.

DUBLIN, May 29.—The National Press to-day says: "Owing to the boast of Mr. Parnell that in the event of the death of Mr. McCarthy (whom he declares to be dving), he, Mr. Parnell, will have complete control of the Paris fund to divide plete control of the Paris fund to divide among his followers, the McCarthyites have taken the best French legal advice on the subject and find that unless the consent of the late Joseph Biggars son is obtained, Mr. Parnell can only con-trol a third portion of the fund after a long litigation, which the McCarthyites will take into every court in France. The League Treasurer, Dr. Joseph E. Kenny, M. P., endeavored to gain Mr.

Kenny, M. P., endeavored to gain Mr. Biggar's sons consent, but was repulsed. The late Mr. Joseph G. Biggars it will be remembered, was one of the trustees of the Paris fund. Mr. McCarthy, the National Press also says, is only suffering from a slight attack of influenza.

The Lamb Quarantine.

MONTREAL, May 29 .- The recent quarantine of Canadian lambs at Buffalo and other points West when they are shipped to the United States has been so severely felt that it is likely some effort will be made to have the quarantine removed. The American market has hitherto been practically the only one for Canadian lambs, outside of a comparatively limited number taken for local consumption and those engaged in the trade say that the loss of this market is a serious thing to the producers. It is understood that overtures are being made to the Dominion Live Stock Association to take the matter up, but no course has been taken by this body as yet.

The Itata Gone to Australia.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 29 .- A special to the Anglo-American at 7 o'clock last night from Acapulco, says there is a well-founded report there that the offiwent-rounced report there that the olli-cers of the Esmeralda, which coaled here yesterday, have said that the fugi-tive Chilian vessel, the Itata, has gone direct to Melbourne, Australia, after having transferred her arms and amto the Esmeralda. The officers of the cruiser have made no secret they had communicated with the Itata on the 15th inst. munition bought in the United State

The Murdered Liverpool Boy.

LIVERPOOL, May 29 .- The coroner' jury, which has been investigating the death of the fifteen-year-old boy whose body was found May 19 floating in a sailor's bag in the Handon dock, return-ed a verdict of murder againt John Con-way, the steamship fireman and leading member of the Seamen Firemen's union who was arrested and charged with the

Insurgents Break Their Promise. Paris, May 29.—Dispatches received

here from Chile state that the insurgents, contrary to their promise, nov threaten to bombard the city of Val-paraiso. In view of these threats the defences of Valparaiso are being hur-

riedly strengthened. In the threstened city and in Paris it is believed that the foreign powers will intervene should the insurgents attempt to carry out the threat of bombardment.

SIR JOHN DYING.

The Canadian Premier Suffers a Stroke of Paralysis.

OTTAWA, ONT., May 29,-12 Midnight. -Sir John MacDonald has suffered a stroke of paralysis. He is conscious but is unable to speak or move. His condition has created a great sensation in political circles. As soon as it became known the House adjourned.

WILL MARRY RITTY.

Parnell Will Wed Mrs. O'Shea in the Mid-

LONDON, May 29.—The Parnellites hear that their chief will wed Mrs. O'Shea before the registrar about the middle of June. It is not true that her daughters will remain with her. Capt. O'Shea controls the family. Capt O'Shea does not in the meantime pro-hibit intercourse between the mother and daughters. The Captain permits the daughters to visit their mother fre-quently, but after marriage with Par-nell is effected all relations will end.

Corte Won't Be Interviewed. QUEENSTOWN, May 29 .- Signor Corte the Italian consul at New Orleans, who nas been recalled to Italy, in order to explain in detail the fasts connected with the lynching of Italians in that city, has arrived here in company with the Italian lad Marchesi, who it is claimed, gave the signals to kill Chief of Police Hennessey. Signor Corte declined to be interviewed on the subject of his recall. has been recalled to Italy, in order to

Satisfies Them.

LONDON, May 29 .- The appointment of Mr. McCormick as representative in England of the Columbian Exhibition England of the Columbian Exhibition is greatly satisfactory to the friends of the Chicago Fair here, who hitherto have been working in the dark. Mr. McCormick will not resign his post as second secretary of the United States legation until the middle of July, when he assumes the duties of commissioner to the Fair. to the Fair.

Landlords' Terms Accepted.

Dablin, May 29 .- The evicted trades men of Tipperary have accepted the landlords' terms, and have been reinstated in their shops. Yesterday was observed as a general holiday in Tipperary cele-brating the settlement of disputes, which include those of the Smith-Barry tenant farmers.

An Actress in Luck

London, May 29.—Richard Somerset Le Poor Trench, fourth Earl of Clancar ty died suddenly to-day. By the Earl's death Viscount Dunlo, his oldest son and the husbaud of Belle Bilton, the English music hall singer, becomes Earl of Clancarty and Belle Bilton becomes Countess of Clancarty.

The Warsprite's Defects.

LONDON, May 29 .- The flag ship Warspite has been found to have serious defects in her hull. The admiralty officials have sent a number of expert dock yard workmen to Esquimalt, B. C., in order to make the repairs necessary to fit her for further active service.

USED POCKET KNIVES.

A Fatal Duel Between Two Students in a Georgia College. Augusta, Ga., May 29.—News of a duel in Hiawassa College, in Loomis

county, has just reached here. Recently a rivalry sprung up between John Ward and Alexander Brown, who were contesting for the places of honor. The quarrel was intensified by a dispute about a young woman. Wednesday night they proposed to settle their differences by a duel. The young men went beyond the town's limits, and fell more such other with their Barlow.

For some time the hacking was kept up, until finally Ward made a plunge into Brown's ribs, the knife penetrating to the heart, and Brown fell dead in the arms of his assailant. The young men belong to highly respected families

of this section. DAMAGING ADMISSION.

Why the Witness Against the Jury Briber Left New Orleans.

St. Louis, May 29 .- Loonce Berthe the principal witness against the jury bribers in the case growing out of the Mafia trials of New Orleans, was arrested Mafia trials of New Orleans, was arrested in East St. Louis this afternoon and is now in jail in that city. Berthe, it will be remembered, left New Orleans to avoid testifying in the bribery trials. Mr. Berthe says: "When the Hennessey murder case was called a man approached me and said that I would get \$1,000 if I got on the jury and found the Italians not guilty. Yes, I was afraid and left New Orleans and got \$1,000." But he seemed to realize that he was telling too much, and in the very next breath said that he left New Orleans of his own free will and accord.

Surgeon General Hamilton Resigns

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29 .- Dr. John B. Hamilton, Surgeon General of the Marine Hospital service, has resigned that office and accepted the position of Professor of the Principles of Surgery and Surgical Pathology in Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill. He will be succeeded as surgeon general by Surgeon Walter Wyman, of the Marine Hospital carries who has been his chief assistant. service, who has been his chief assistant in this city for some time. Dr. Hamil-ton will remove to Chicago, his old home, at an early day.

Manager Bancroft not Gullty.

CINCINNATI, May 29 .- The police court in a jury trial to-day found Manager Bancroft, of the Cincinnati Association club not guilty of a violation of statutes in attempting to play the game stopped by the police last Sunday. The law for-bids playing games, but does not forbid an attempt to play.

Gov. Boyd's Father De

ZANESTIDLE, O., May 29.—Jos. E. Boyd, father of Governor James E. Boyd, of Nebraska, and whose failure to take out his final naturalization papers was the cause of the Nebraska gubernatorial muddle, died here this avening, aged 79 years. Gov. Boyd is en route to attend the funeral.

## BARDSLEY CONFESSES.

With Trembling Voice Philadelphia's Embezzling Treasurer

ADMITS ALL HIS COUNSEL SAID

In the Preliminary Examination-The Banks he Did Business with-Willing to Suffer the Penalty of the Law. The Spring Garden Bank Failure Precipitated Matters.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 29 .- During the preliminary hearing of Ex-Treas urer Bardsley, Prosecuting Attorney Graham asked if Mr. Bardsley was willing to make this statement himself and was told that he was. Mr. Bardsley arose from his chair, tottered to the witness stand and in a trembling voice said: "I admit all that my counsel has said. I did put the money in the Keystone Bank, and will have to take what the law gives me. I got as high as 4 per cent interest for the money. I deposited the money and took due bills for is as is done every day, and when the bank failed I lost the money I paid either to President Marsh, Cashier Hays or Assistant Cashier Lawrence." Hays or Assistant Cashier Lawrence." In answer to the question whether he received interest from any other banks, Mr. Bardsley said he did, but only mentioned the Spring Garden. District Attorney Graham attempted to get him to tell what other banks paid him interest; but did not succeed. Edward T. Stolesbery, a member of the firm of Drexel & Co., was called and testified that Bardsley came to their firm and asked what interest they would pay on deposits. He was told 3 per cent and received this interest on four checks of \$25,000 each that he deposited there as \$25,000 each that he deposited there all

different times.

Mr. Alexander said he did not pro pose that anyone should be criminated. But after it had been testified to that But after it had been testined to that Mr. Bardsley kept a personal account in the Seventh National, the Manufacturers' National, the Chestnut Street National, the People's National and the Farmers and Mechanics' National, Mr. Alexander held a consultation with his client and desired he should tell the banks that naid him interest.

banks that paid him interest.

Mr. Bardsley again took the stand and said he had been pidd interest oall the above named banks with the exception of the Farmers and Mechanics.

ception of the Farmers and Mechanics'.

At this point the District Attorney rested his case and said that he was unable to prove to-day the charge of perjury, and he asked that it be continued till June 1.

\*It is not expected that Mr. Bardsley will be able to obtain bail.

His counsel notified Chief Detective Wood that he did not expect to secure bail, and arrangements were made to take him down to prison. After an interview with his counsel, Mr. Bardsley was placed in a carriage and taken to terview with his counsel, Mr. Bardsley was placed in a carriage and taken to

was placed in a carriage and taken to Moyhan prison. During the time which Mr. Bardsley spent at City Hall prior to the hearing the accused City Treasarer remained in the office of Private Detective Wood in charge of detectives. However, we will be the profession of the control of the contr

The Coke Situation.

SCOTTDALE, PA., May 29 .- It has been reported that the Frick Company trans. ferred the coal in the Charlotte mine to the McClure Company, which would afterwards operate the works. port is denied. About sixty Italians passed through here this evening from the Leisenring Coke Works, where they have been working for several weeks. They are dissatisfied with the wages

Financial Situation.

New York, May 29.-The Post says: In the present situation, with currency still moving heavily from the interior still moving heavily from the interior towards the centre, it remains to be seen whether the outgo of gold has practically come to an end as mest peo-ple now believe. The only protective measure against a withdrawal of capital would be an advance in rates of inter-est here.

Nolle Presequi Entered.

NEW OBLEANS, May 29 .- District Attorney Luzenberg to-day issued nolle prosequi in the cases of Bernard Glaudi, Charles Granger, Emile Bagnetto, Thomas McCyrstal and D. C. O'Malley. They were the parties who had been in-dicted by the grand jury for bribery and corruption of jurors in the Hennessey case.

The Fire on the European-

NEW ORLEANS, May 29 .- The steamship European which returned yesterday morning with her cargo of cotton on fire, is still discharging. The fre has been put out and 700 bales dis-charged, of which 100 bales are badly burned. The total damage including detention of vessel will probably reach

Pugilist Seville Convicted

ATHENS, O., May 29.—Dave Seville, convicted on Friday last in court here of prize fighting, was sentenced by Judge Destuer to one year's hard labor in the penitentiary. Seville will be tried next court term under an indictment charging him with manslaughter for the killing of Arthur Majesty in the late Nalesnyillaries fight. late Nelsonville prize fight.

Weather Forecast for To-day. For West Virginia and Ohio, fair Saturday, slightly warmer; variable winds. For Western Pennsylvania, generally fair Saturday, except light showers on the lake; slightly warmer; variable winds.

TEMPERATURE TESTERDAY, as furnished by C. Schnepf, druggist, Opera House corner:

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Two years ago the county gave